

In the Specification:

On page 1, please **replace** the paragraph before the paragraph entitled
“BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION” with the following:

INCORPORATION OF SEQUENCE LISTING

A paper copy of the Sequence Listing and a computer readable form of the
sequence listing on diskette, containing the file named 18528.643.SeqList.txt, which is
2,655 2,704 bytes in size (measured in MS-DOS), and which was created on ~~October 13,~~
~~2004~~ December 2, 2004, are herein incorporated by reference.